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Mr. Walter T. Bonney
Director, Public Information
National Aeronautics and Space Administration
Washington, D. C.

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Please accept on behalf of Mr. Dulles, myself and your many friends in the Central Intelligence Agency our gratitude for a job well done.

Sincerely,

C. P. Cabell
General, USAF
Acting Director

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Allen W. Dulles
Director

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence
SUBJECT: Commendation Letter
Walter T. Bonney (NASA)

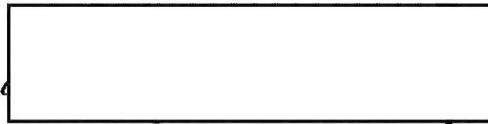
The attached letter of commendation is submitted for your approval and signature.

In view of Mr. Bonney's long and faithful service to Project CHALICE and the valued service he performed in furthering the cover publicity of that project, I consider recognition in this form to be most appropriate.

There is also the possibility that in his new capacity as Director of Public Relations at Aerospace Corporation he may, at some future date, again be of assistance to the Agency and its efforts in the field of science.

I will be pleased to make the necessary arrangements to have the letter hand carried to Mr. Bonney.

Your signature is recommended.



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Attachment - 1
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